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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Sir:

This is a request for continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114, of pending prior Application No. 09/608,388 (Confirmation No. 9475), filed on June 30, 2000 of Robert A. Knee, et al. for Interactive Television Program Guide Systems With Initial Channel Tuning

1. Please enter the Amendment Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 filed on _____ in Application No. _____.
2. Please consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief filed on _____ in Application No. _____.
3. An Amendment/Reply is enclosed.
4. Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) is/are enclosed.
5. An Information Disclosure Statement is enclosed.
6. A suspension of action on the above-identified patent application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months.
7. A check in the amount of \$ _____ in payment of the fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is enclosed.
8. Please charge Deposit Account No. 06-1075, Order No. 003597.0156 in payment of the fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e). A duplicate copy of this Request is enclosed.

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9. The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) in connection with this Request, or to credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075, Order No. 003597.0156. A duplicate copy of this Request is enclosed.

10. Please grant a one-month, two-month, three-month, four-month, extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to the Examiner's Action of October 19, 2005 in the above-identified patent application.

11. A check in the amount of \$ _____ in payment of the extension-of-time fee is enclosed.

12. Please charge the extension-of-time fee of \$120.00 to Deposit Account No. 06-1075, Order No. 003597.0156. A duplicate copy of this Request is enclosed.

13. The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional extension-of-time fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 in connection with this paper, or to credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075, Order No. 003597.0156. A duplicate copy of this Request is enclosed.

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